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DEXTER ANDERSON REPRESENTATIVE RED DOME INC. 730 N 3900 W FILLMORE UT 84631

Dear Mr. Anderson:

We received Red Dome's amended Plan of Operations (Plan) on February 17, 2004, and our review of the Plan has revealed that it meets the requirements of 43 CFR § 3809.401. As required by § 3809.411(c), we have published availability of the Plan on the Environmental Notification Bulletin Board and will accept public comment on the Plan until at least April 2, 2004. Should a finding of no significant impact be made, the Plan will be approved shortly after April 2, 2004, subject to changes or conditions that are necessary to meet the performance standards of § 3809.420 and to prevent unnecessary or undue degradation. Approval will also be subject to the submission to the Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining (UDOGM), a reclamation bond in an amount and form acceptable to both UDOGM and the BLM, after which event the interim financial guarantee currently held by the BLM will be released.

We also need to address the preamble to the Plan, in which it is stated:

"Red Dome Inc. does not waive any of its rights or claims to any of the acreage contained within the Red Dome Placer Mining Claims as described below or elsewhere and reserves the right to go upon any area within the claims to maintain the validity of the claims under the mining laws of the United States of America and the State of Utah, including discovery work, and annual assessment work as necessary."

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The approval of the mine plan will not include approval of any exploration or mining activity outside the area defined within the mine plan. Any activity beyond casual use outside the approved Plan area must be preceded by the submission of either a Notice or an amended Plan and an approved financial guarantee for reclamation.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Sheri Wysong at (435) 743-3124.

Sincerely,

Glen Nebeker

Field Office Manager

cc: Tom Munson, UDOGM (M/027/032)